



# PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

**ADDRESS TO:**

**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450**

Attorney Docket No.: 03-087-A  
Application No.: 10/823,372  
Filing Date: April 12, 2004  
First Named Inventor: Groneberg  
Group Art Unit: 1614  
Examiner: Not yet assigned

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to February 6, 2005.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))    | \$      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))   | \$      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))  | \$      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))  | \$2,160 |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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|-----------|--------------------------|
| Name      | Stephen H. Docter        |
| Reg. No.  | 44,659                   |
| Signature | <i>Stephen H. Docter</i> |
| Date      | February 3, 2005         |

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